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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 7, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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(ER (Large Entity) Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTA Applicant(s): Peter A. Barany et al. NRT.0072US (12383RRUS02U JUL 0 9 2004 **Group Art Unit** Customer No. Confirmation No. Filing Date áminer Application No. PRADENATION D. Mew 9500 21906 2664 11/17/2000 09/715;787 Invention: Interleaving Data Over Frames Communicated In A Wireless Channel RECEIVED JUL 1 3 2004 **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Technology Center 2600** Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** NUMBER EXTRA **ADDITIONAL CLAIMS REMAINING** HIGHEST# RATE CLAIMS PRESENT FEE AFTER AMENDMENT PREV. PAID FOR \$18.00 \$90.00 5 x **TOTAL CLAIMS** 40 35 3 x \$258.00 \$86.00 5 = 8 INDEP. CLAIMS \$0.00 Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) \$348.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT No additional fee is required for amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of to cover the filing fee is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$348.00 The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-1504(nrt72) Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. Dated: July 7, 2004 Signature Dan C. Hu Reg. No. 40,025 certify that this document and fee is being deposited on TROP, PRUNER & HU, P.C. with the U.S. Postal Service as first July 7, 2004 class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the 8554 Katy Freeway Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA Suite 100 22313-1450. Houston, Texas 77024 Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence

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